

STATE OF MAINE
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

Docket No. 96-006

May 28, 1997

CENTRAL MAINE POWER COMPANY,
Proposed Probable Ten Percent
Percent Change in Long Term
Avoided Costs

ORDER

WELCH, Chairman; NUGENT and HUNT Commissioners

On January 4, 1996, Central Maine Power Company provided the Commission notice, pursuant to Chapter 36 of the Commission's Rules, that developments since its most recent submission of avoided costs (dated March 20, 1995) would produce changes in those avoided costs equal to or greater than 10 percent. While CMP is required to provide us notice of changes in avoided costs of over 10 percent, we need not take any action.

We see no need for this proceeding to remain open.

Therefore, we

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that this docket is closed.

Dated at Augusta, Maine, this 28th day of May, 1997.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

Dennis L. Keschl
Acting Administrative Director

COMMISSIONERS VOTING FOR: Welch
Nugent
Hunt

NOTICE OF RIGHTS TO REVIEW OR APPEAL

5 M.R.S.A. § 9061 requires the Public Utilities Commission to give each party to an adjudicatory proceeding written notice of the party's rights to review or appeal of its decision made at the conclusion of the adjudicatory proceeding. The methods of review or appeal of PUC decisions at the conclusion of an adjudicatory proceeding are as follows:

1. Reconsideration of the Commission's Order may be requested under Section 1004 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (65-407 C.M.R.110) within 20 days of the date of the Order by filing a petition with the Commission stating the grounds upon which reconsideration is sought.
2. Appeal of a final decision of the Commission may be taken to the Law Court by filing, within 30 days of the date of the Order, a Notice of Appeal with the Administrative Director of the Commission, pursuant to 35-A M.R.S.A. § 1320(1)-(4) and the Maine Rules of Civil Procedure, Rule 73, et seq.
3. Additional court review of constitutional issues or issues involving the justness or reasonableness of rates may be had by the filing of an appeal with the Law Court, pursuant to 35-A M.R.S.A. § 1320(5).

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